

SENTENCING CONSIDERATIONS

GUILTY PLEA

NO GUILTY PLEA

GOVERNING LAWS

- ▶ I.C. 35-50-1-1 et seq
- ▶ Gives Courts sole authority for sentencing
- ▶ Provides sentencing range for each level of offense
- ▶ Provides restrictions for when an individual may receive probation
- ▶ I.C. 35-38-1-1 et seq
- ▶ Provides procedures for sentencing hearings
- ▶ Guidelines for factors a court must consider in sentencing
- ▶ Establishes parameters of probation and other alternative sentences

BASIC PENALTY FOR OFFENSES

CLASS	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM	ADVISORY	FINE
Murder	45 years	65 years	55 years	\$10,000
A Felony	20 years	50 years	30 years	\$10,000
B Felony	6 years	20 years	10 years	\$10,000
C Felony	2 years	8 years	4 years	\$10,000
D Felony	6 months	3 years	1 ½ years	\$10,000
A Misd	0	365 days		\$5,000
B Misd	0	180 days		\$1,000
C Misd	0	90 days		\$500

SUSPENDIBLE

NONSUSPENDIBLE

INFORMATION

Charges and Facts of Case

Criminal History – Juvenile and Adult

Pre–Sentence Investigation and Report
Personal Background Information
Education and Employment History

Victim Impact Information



OPTIONS AVAILABLE

Department of Corrections

Marion County Jail

Marion County Community Corrections

Marion County Probation Department

Other Community Resources



PROBLEM SOLVING COURTS

Marion County Community Court –
Marion County Superior Court 12

Marion County Drug Treatment Court –
Marion County Superior Court 14

Marion County Mental Health Court